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UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

March 2, 2004

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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to deny your refund request in the amount of \$110.00, for patent/serial number 09707723.

The charge of \$110.00 was charged on 11/09/00 was for an extension of time. The charge on 12/02/03 was for a terminal disclaimer.

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
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